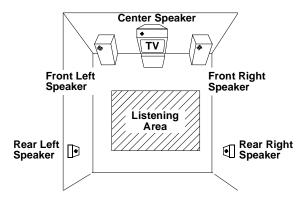
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#### **HTS-102 Home Theater System**

Your HTS-102 home theater system includes the STAV-3770 receiver (RadioShack 31-3042, with its owner's manual and accessories), two front speakers, two surround-sound (rear) speakers, one center speaker, and one subwoofer. All you need to add to have a complete home theater system are an audio/video input source (stereo Hi-Fi VCR or DVD/LD player) and a TV.

For receiver instructions and the HTS-102's warranty, refer to the STAV-3770 Owner's Manual. The instructions on the next few pages only cover basic home theater and speaker connections. Before making any connections, see "Positioning Speakers" on Page 5 of the STAV-3770 Owner's Manual to choose the best locations for your speakers.



#### **Speaker Specifications**

Power Handling	ı (all speakers)	35V	V RMS, 105W MAX
Nominal Impedance	Front/Center	Rear	Subwoofer
	8 Ohms	. 16 Ohms	8 Ohms 2 Ch (L/R)
Sensitivity	86.5 dB	86 dB	

#### **Supplied Accessories**

Quantity	Description	Colors		
Speaker Wires				
2	Receiver Out to Subwoofer In	Light Blue/Pink		
2	Subwoofer Out to Front Speakers	Dark Blue/Red		
2	Receiver Out to Surround-Sound Speakers	Green/Orange		
1	Receiver Out to Center Speaker	Yellow		
Patch Cable				
1	VCR Out to Receiver In	Red/White		

#### **Caring for Your Speakers**

- Use a polishing cloth or dry cloth to wipe off dust and dirt.
- If the cabinet is very dirty, wipe it with a soft cloth dipped in a neutral cleanser diluted with water, then wipe again with a dry cloth. Do not use furniture wax or cleaners.
- Never use thinner, benzene, insecticide sprays, or other chemicals on or near the cabinets.
- · Never use a vacuum cleaner to clean the grille cloth.

#### **Connecting Speakers**

Your HTS-102 system includes all speaker wires required for speaker connections. Each speaker wire consists of two conductors (individual wires) encased in insulation and is color-coded so you can identify each conductor (the color mark is on only one of the conductors in each speaker wire pair). Use these colors as a guide to help you properly connect the speakers.

If the supplied speaker wires are too short for your connections, you can purchase additional wire at your local RadioShack store. Use 16-gauge (or larger) speaker wire for all speaker connections.

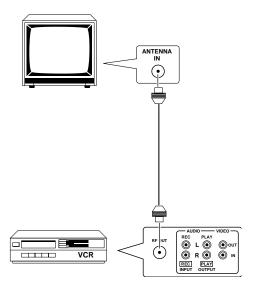
When connecting each conductor to a speaker terminal, hold down the terminal lever, insert the conductor's end into the small hole, and release the terminal lever to secure the conductor.

When connecting each conductor to the receiver, press open the terminal lever, insert the conductor's end into the small hole, and press the lever closed to secure the conductor.

#### Notes:

- Be sure you connect the receiver's right and left positive (+) and negative (-) terminals to the speaker's corresponding right and left positive (+) and negative (-) terminals.
- Do not connect two pairs of speakers to a single set of terminals.
- Surround speakers generally sound best if you position them above ear level.

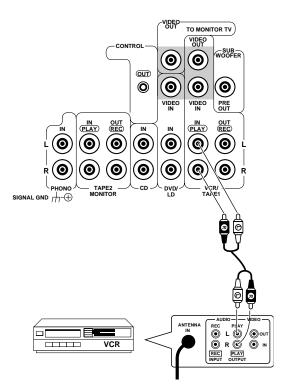
### **Connecting Your VCR to Your TV**



If you have a VCR already connected to your TV, proceed to "Connecting Your Receiver to Your VCR."

Otherwise, connect your VCR's ANTENNA OUT/RF OUT jack to your TV's ANTENNA IN/RF IN jack with a coaxial antenna cable (one should have been supplied with your VCR).

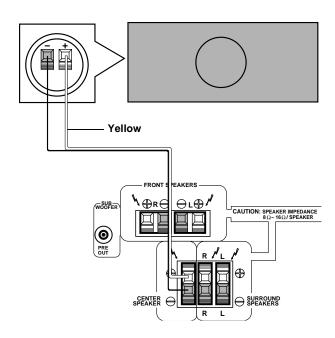
## Connecting Your Receiver to Your VCR



Using the supplied patch cable, connect the receiver's **VCR/TAPE1 IN PLAY** jacks to your VCR 's AUDIO PLAY or AUDIO OUT jacks.

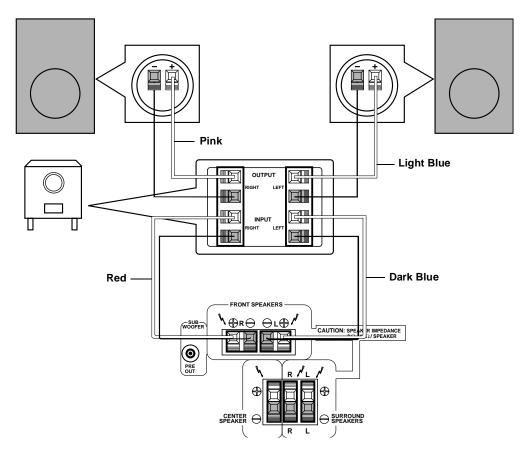
See "Preparing Your Receiver" on Page 9 of the STAV-3770 Owner's Manual to hook up four more external audio/video sources (a CD player, for example) to your receiver.

#### **Connecting the Center Speaker**



- 1. Connect the yellow conductor to the receiver's **CENTER SPEAKER** (+) red terminal.
- 2. Connect the other conductor to the receiver's **CENTER SPEAKER** (–) black terminal.
- 3. Connect the yellow conductor's other end to the center speaker's positive (+) red terminal.
- 4. Connect the other conductor's end to the center speaker's negative (-) black terminal.

#### **Connecting the Subwoofer and Front Speakers**

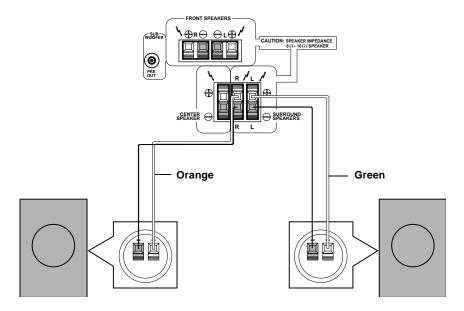


**Caution:** Do not connect the subwoofer to the receiver's **SUBWOOFER PRE OUT** jack. (The supplied subwoofer does not have its own amplifier.)

Follow these steps to connect the subwoofer and the front speakers.

- 1. Connect the dark blue conductor to the receiver's FRONT SPEAKERS L (+) red terminal.
- 2. Connect the other conductor to the receiver's FRONT SPEAKERS L (-) black terminal.
- 3. Connect the dark blue conductor's other end to the subwoofer's INPUT LEFT red terminal.
- 4. Connect the other conductor's end to the subwoofer's INPUT LEFT black terminal.
- 5. Using the red wire, repeat Steps 1–4 to connect the subwoofer's **INPUT RIGHT** terminals to the receiver's **FRONT SPEAK- ERS** right terminals.
- 6. Connect the light blue conductor to the subwoofer's **OUTPUT LEFT** red terminal.
- 7. Connect the other conductor to the subwoofer's **OUTPUT LEFT** black terminal.
- 8. Connect the light blue conductor's other end to the left front speaker's positive (+) red terminal.
- 9. Connect the other conductor's end to the left front speaker's negative (-) black terminal.
- 10. Using the pink wire, repeat Steps 6–9 to connect the subwoofer's **OUTPUT RIGHT** terminals to the right front speaker's terminals.

#### **Connecting the Surround-Sound (Rear) Speakers**

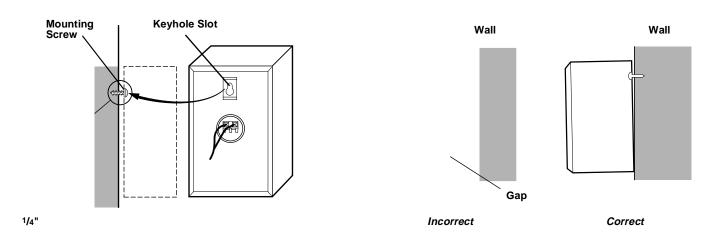


- 1. Connect the green conductor to the receiver's **SURROUND SPEAKERS L** (+) red terminal.
- 2. Connect the other conductor to the receiver's SURROUND SPEAKERS L (-) black terminal.
- 3. Connect the green conductor's other end to the left surround speaker's positive (+) red terminal.
- 4. Connect the other conductor's end to the left surround speaker's negative (-) black terminal.
- 5. Using the orange wire, repeat Steps 1–4 to connect the right surround speaker to the receiver's **SURROUND SPEAKERS** right terminals.

#### **Wall Mounting the Speakers**

To mount the speakers on a wall, you need wood screws with heads that fit into the keyhole slot on the back of each speaker. Make sure the wall surface and screws you use are appropriate for the weight of the speakers. Keep in mind that the speaker's vibration will affect the surface, so we do not recommend mounting on plywood boards or other soft-surface walls.

Drill a hole and thread a screw into the wall, letting the head extend about 1/4 inch (6 mm) from the wall. Align the keyhole slot with the mounting screw and slide the speaker downward to secure it.



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